Notification of Infectious Disease.

The following have been reported during the week ending Sunday, October 1, 1911.	Cases notified among Non-Chinese population of 13,770	Deaths among Chinese population of 492,000
Small-pox.	0	0
Cholera.	0	0
Typhoid Fever	1	—
Diphtheria.	0	0
Scarlet Fever.	0	0
Tuberculosis	0	13
Plague	0	0
Total Deaths from all Causes	2	122

A Chinese case of plague certified as occuring outside Settlement off North Szechuen Road Extension (Paoshan District); but Laboratory examination negative.

ARTHUR STANLEY,
Health Officer.

Public Band.

The performances next week will, weather permitting, be as follows :—

Mon. Oct.	9. 5	p.m.	Public Garden.
Tues. ,,	10. 5	,,	Hongkew Recreation Ground.
Wed. ,,	11. 5	,,	Public Garden.
Thur. ,,	12. 5	,,	,,
Fri. ,,	13. 5	,,	Hongkew Recreation Ground.
Sat. ,,	14. 4	,,	Public Recreation Ground.

Proceedings at the Mixed Court

During the week ending Saturday, September 30, 1911.

APPREHENSIONS.	Male	Female
1.—Offences Against the Person :—		
Assault	17	
Attempted suicide	2	1
Cruelty to Children	1	
Kidnapping	1	2
Wounding	2	
Abduction	1	
Rape	1	
2.—Offences Against Property :—		
Burglary	10	
Cruelty to Animals	2	
Embezzlement	2	
False Pretences...	2	
Fraud	4	
House breaking...	3	
Larceny	72	6
Robbery	2	
Unlawful possession	9	
Malicious damage	1	
3.—Offences of a Public Nature :—		
Breaches of Licence Conditions:-		
Livery Stable ...	2	
Public Ricsha ...	273	
Tea Shop	1	
Wine Shop	1	
Cart	13	
Dog	2	1
Breaches of Municipal Bye-laws and Regulations :—		
Fireworks	2	
House Refuse... ...	3	2
Illegal Arrest ...	1	
Nuisance	223	
Soliciting		9
Traffic	28	
Lottery	1	
Opium	9	
Wheel-barrows ...	6	
Fighting and creating a disturbance	43	4
Gambling	3	
Loitering with Intent	2	
Returning from expulsion ...	7	
Trafficking in Women or children	4	4
Vagrancy	16	
Uttering	1	
4.—Miscellaneous Cases :-		
Insanity	6	
Stray Children		4
Passing food, etc.	2	
Witness in criminal case ...	1	4
5.—Civil Cases	6	
TOTAL...	788	37

PUNISHMENTS AND DECISIONS.	Male	Female
Bail Forfeited	535	4
Cangue	1	
Cautioned	2	
Compensation	1	
Dismissed	7	5
Fined	61	3
Handed to Parents (or) Guardians	1	
Imprisonment	127	16
Imprisonment and Cangue ...	5	
Imprisonment and expulsion ...	15	
Left to Court	4	
Reformatory	2	
Released on Security	7	1
Sent to Native authorities ...	3	2
Sent to Sinza Refuge	17	5
Sent to Slave Girls' Refuge ...		1
TOTAL...	788	37

HOUSE OF DETENTION FOR MALES.

Inmates at beginning of week... ...	94
Received during the week	5
Released during the week	7
Remaining at the end of week... ...	92

FEMALE WARD.

Inmates at beginning of week ...	140
Received during the week	26
Released during the week	30
Remaining at the end of week... ...	136

SUMMONSES AND WARRANTS.

Summonses issued	32
Summonses served	21
Warrants issued	23
Warrants executed	2

K. J. MCEUEN,
Acting Captain-Superintendent of Police.

Municipal Laboratory.

Analyses and tests will be made for the public as follows :

1.—The right is reserved of refusing samples which may not be of sufficient public importance to warrant analysis.

2.—Where purity of food is in question, which may influence Public Health, analysis may, at the discretion of the Health Officer, be undertaken at a nominal fee.

3.—The locality from which samples come must be clearly described.

4.—Crushed samples will not be received for analysis.

5.—All samples analysed will remain the property of the Council.

6.—The Council will not recognize any claims arising from results of analysis.

SCALE OF FEES.

	Tls.
Water (chemical and bacterial) :	50
Milk.	5
Butter.	30
Liquors.	40
Minerals, alloys, metals, etc. :	
Qualitative test for one constituent	10
Qualitative analysis complete	25
Quantitative analysis : each constituent	35
Coal :	
General analysis	35
Calorific value	15
Petrol, benzine, kerosene, lubricating and other oils :	
General analysis	50
Flash point only	5
Building materials : cement, mortar, lime, etc. :	
Chemical and physical tests as to quality	50
Toxicological examinations :	
Qualitative	50
Quantitative	100

Fees for other examinations and any further information can be obtained on application to the Health Officer.

Quantities which should be submitted for analysis :—

Milk and Liquors,	1 pint
Butter,	1 pound
Water,	1 gallon

When bacterial examination is required water should be sent packed in ice except in very cold weather.

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TENDERS FOR PUBLIC WORKS AND OTHER REQUIREMENTS.

CONDITIONS GOVERNING MUNICIPAL TENDERS.

1.—The Council reserves to itself the right to accept the whole or part of any tender.

2.—The Council does not bind itself to accept the lowest or any tender or to pay any expenses which the tenderer may incur in tendering.

3.—The contractor whose tender is eventually accepted may be required to give satisfactory security for the performance of the contract.

4.—The names of tenderers, with the prices quoted, will be published in the Municipal Gazette.

5.—A fee may be charged for specifications, to be returned upon receipt of a *bonâ fide* tender.

6.—Tenders should be sealed and labelled on the outside as to their contents. They should be forwarded, preferably by chit book or registered letter, to "The Secretary, Municipal Council, 23 Kiangse Road," not later than noon on the day fixed for their receipt.

THE COUNCIL INVITES TENDERS AS FOLLOWS:—

POLICE FORCE.

Further information on the subject of tenders under this Section may be obtained upon application at the Depot, Gordon Road.

No.		Fee	Date for receipt of tenders
2	3,500 yards Camlet, to be delivered by January 15.	—	Extended to October 31.
	1,000 Blankets 84" by 60" to be delivered by December 31.	—	
3	2,000 pairs British Army Pattern Ankle Boots.	—	December 7.
	80 yards Blue Beaver Cloth, No. 1 Quality.	—	
	2,000 yards Blue Beaver Cloth, No. 3 Quality.	—	
	4,000 yards Indigo Blue Serge.	—	
	800 yards Khaki Woollen Serge.	—	
	2,000 yards Grey Cotton Lining.	—	
	50 pairs Blankets, White, 63" × 80", 6-lb. per pair.	—	
	100 pairs Blankets, Brown Army, 68" × 90", 10-lb. per pr.	—	

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

Plans, specifications and all necessary information on the subject of tenders under this section may be obtained upon application at the Public Works Office, Hankow Road.

No.		Fee	Date for receipt of tenders.
4	Shovels, pickaxes, and other implements.	—	October 26.
14	Alterations at H.M. Consular Gaol (Casual Ward), Amoy Rd.	—	October 6.
15	Building the "Ellis Kadoorie" Public School for Chinese, Carter Road.	—	October 12.
16	29 tons medium steel patent reinforcing bars.	—	October 6.

TENDERS HAVE BEEN RECEIVED AS FOLLOWS:—

Alterations and Extensions to Health Department Quarters, Woosung Road:—

Sing Tai	Tls. 7,560
Yue Chang-tai	6,136
Sah Jin-kee	6,000
Zee Zung-tai	5,910
Joe Ming-kee	5,573
Chun Sung-kee	5,480
Chun Ming-kee	5,450
Wong Kor-sung	5,150
*Yue Chong	4,750
†Sinjintai	4,470

Supply of cast-iron platform gratings to be fitted to the Howden turbine sets at the Electricity Works:

New Eng. & Shipbuilg. Works, Ld.	Tls. 1,220
Shanghai Dock & Engineering Co. Ld.	795
*Vulcan Ironworks, Ld.	625

Supply of Convicts' Food.

		Yuen Dah* 12 months	Nien Chong.	Vok Hsing 6 months	Vok Hsing 3 months
Vegetables	per lb.	$0.02	$0.02	$0.02	$0.02½
Onions	..	0.0475	0.045	0.05	0.03
Salt Fish	..	0.075	0.08	0.06½	0.07
Beef	..	0.13	0.13	0.12	0.13
Pork	..	0.165	0.18	0.17	0.17
Salt	..	0.025	0.03	0.03½	0.04
Bean Oil	..	0.1375	0.15	0.15	0.15
Tea	..	0.12	0.14	0.13	0.13

		Dong Shing* 6 months	Hop Foong 6 months	Hop Foong 3 months	Ya Kee 3 months
Red ..	per picul.	$5.60	$6.28	$6.30	$6.60
Flat Bans	..	4.00	4.18	4.20	5.00
Wheat	..	5.20	5.75	5.78	6.00

* Accepted. † No security forthcoming.

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